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You are cordially invited to participate in the Los Angeles County Department of Children and Family Services and the Probation Department's Annual System Improvement Plan (SIP) Stakeholder meeting. The meeting is scheduled for:

**Wednesday, June 25, 2014
8:00 am – 4:00 pm
(8:00- 9:00am-Continental Breakfast & Registration)
Radisson Hotel Los Angeles at USC
3540 South Figueroa Street
Los Angeles, CA 90007**

The purpose of this meeting is to discuss the progress of the 2011-2016 System Improvement Plan for Los Angeles County. This plan operates on the philosophy of continuous improvement, interagency partnerships, community involvement, and public reporting of outcomes.

The County SIP is the operational agreement between the County and the State that establishes program priorities, defines action steps to achieve improvement and establishes improvement goals that the County will achieve within the term of its plan.

Your participation is important to the success of child welfare reform. We look forward to your partnership in this effort. If you are unable to attend, please provide a representative from your agency/organization.

Seating is limited, so we ask that you RSVP early, and no later than May 28, 2014 with:

Vanessa Aparicio at apariv@dcfs.lacounty.gov (213) 351-5881 and
Sandra Young at sandra.young@probation.lacounty.gov (323) 357-5545

Sincerely,

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Rebuild Lives and Provide for Healthier and Safer Communities

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PLEASE RSVP BY WEDNESDAY MAY 28, 2014.

Complimentary parking is available on site.

5 – Year SIP Chart (PROBATION)

Priority Outcome Measure or Systemic Factor: Timeliness to Reunification/Agency Collaborations

National Standard: 9.9

Current Performance: 13.3

Target Improvement Goal: Improve Collaborative Efforts Across Systems

Priority Outcome Measure or Systemic Factor: Increasing Placement Stability

National Standard: 69.4 (Two or less placements in 12-24 months (1-2 Years)

Current Performance: 65.4% Improved—2 .5 increase in rate of children with two or less placements

Target Improvement Goal: Improving upfront and ongoing Assessment and Case Planning

Priority Outcome Measure or Systemic Factor: Reducing Timelines to Permanency through Adoption, Legal Guardianship and Life Long Connections

National Standard: 37.5

Current Performance: 58% Improved—9.6% decrease in youth discharged in care 3 years or more

Target Improvement Goal: Increased permanency efforts and self-sufficiency for children without connections

Priority Outcome Measure or Systemic Factor: Data Collection Utilization

National Standard: N/A

Current Performance:

Target Improvement Goal: Using Data Driven Decision Making Process